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Memorandum To: Project Engineers  
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Subject: OPTIONAL BOLTED FIELD SPLICE

When an optional bolted field splice is detailed, place the following note on the plans:

***"At the Contractor's option, the optional bolted field splice may be omitted, provided the Contractor obtains all permits required for transporting the longer piece lengths."***

This policy is effective immediately. The Standard Notes have been updated and the Design Manual will be revised at a later date.

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